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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

When our household first joined the internet world we used a company called Earthlink. There were so many problematic outages that in desperation I asked around as to other possibilities. Someone said Sonic. We switched and have no regrets.

Once again, I state my support for broadband competition. It is essential for me to keep up with the International World of Public Health, with family members, or to know what is going on in their part of the world.

FCC please do not cave in to the large monopolies. We prefer to support our local businesses, including Sonic.net.

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